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By ECF and Email

Honorable Paul A. Crotty
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, New York 10007

Re: *United States v. Joshua Adam Schulte*, 17 Cr. 548 (PAC)

Dear Judge Crotty,

On June 28, 2021, the government filed with the Court a letter with the Court regarding its position on Mr. Schulte's request to proceed *pro se*. The defense is generally available in the coming weeks and requests the Court schedule a *Faretta* inquiry.

We thank the Court for its time and consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

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